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Mr. Yerkes Stands for Assassination.

The following is an extract from Gov. Beckham's speech, delivered at Litchfield, on the 10th instant:

"My distinguished opponent, Mr. Yerkes, can not escape responsibility for the platform he stands on. He can not divert the public mind from the real issue and concentrate it on the election law. Why, at Bowling Green he stood on a platform with a picture of a fugitive from justice on his right hand and Holland Whitaker, under indictment for conspiracy to assassinate, on his left."

"He'd make a nice Governor, wouldn't he?" called a Democrat derisively.

"If you read Yerkes' speech you will see he says the Democrats hold the Republican party responsible for the assassination of Gov. Goebel. He says the Republicans might as well have held the Democratic party responsible for the defalcation of Tate. Four years ago Yerkes and others went stumping over the State, making Tate's defalcation almost the only issue, and at the same time demanding a look at the books. It is within the memory of the youngest voter here that the Democrats did what they could to apprehend Tate and bring him back to face the charges against him. He found it necessary to go further than Taylor to escape his accusers. Did you hear of any Democratic platform indorsing that defalcation? Did you hear of any Democrat in private or on the stump upholding that steal? I think not.

"How is it about the Republican platform? That platform indorses those who stood accused and indicted for the assassination of Gov. Goebel. That party, or its representatives, has done everything within its power to shield and protect those who stood thus accused. We claim the right to hold that party responsible for the murder of William Goebel. Yerkes says no Democrats were brought up to prove that they had been intimidated from voting on election day. Do you think there is any man who was frightened from voting would admit it? The threat of a partisan Republican Judge was standing before us; the instructions of that Judge to Federal Marshals to watch Democrats and not Republicans confronted us. Have you heard of that Judge calling any Republicans before him to answer for fraud? You have not heard of him calling a single Republican before him."

Gov. Beckham then reviewed the doings of the army of intimidation, "bristling with guns and pistols like an arsenal," the action of the Legislature, chased about the streets like cattle, the verdicts of the courts, Circuit, Court of Appeals and Court of last resort, all deciding in favor of the Democratic contention. As he proceeded his remarks were punctuated by "Hurrah for Beckham," "Hit 'em again, Beckham," "Hurrah for our young Governor," "Stick to 'em, Governor."

"Do you want a repetition of Republican misrule?" he asked.

"No, no, we don't. We've had enough of this," came from all parts of the house.

"The Republicans said they wanted a look at the books. They looked at the books, but they didn't find a single embezzled account. We have a look at the books ourselves. We have a look at the books over \$30,000 stolen to keep a band of murderers up in that w. Frankfort.

A WONDERFUL CURE OF DIARRHOEA.

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Had Almost Given Up. But Was Brought Back to Perfect Health by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. READ HIS EDITORIAL.

From the Times, Hillville, Va.

I suffered with diarrhoea for a long time and thought I was past being cured. I had spent much time and money and suffered so much misery that I had almost decided to give up all hopes of recovery and await the result, but noticing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and also some testimonials stating how some wonderful cures had been wrought by this remedy, I decided to try it. After taking a few doses I was entirely well of that trouble, and I wish to say further to my readers and fellow-sufferers that I am a hale and hearty man to-day and feel as well as I ever did in my life. O. R. MOORE. Sold by M. Cravens.

"Like a Beast of the Field."

Caleb Powers kicks up a fuss and a fuss because he was handcuffed when transferred from the Georgetown to the Louisville jail. Caleb howls, "I want you to say that you found me handcuffed like a beast of the field. This, too, after I told my guard that I would give them my word that I would make no attempt to escape."

Just how a beast of the field is handcuffed is an unsolved mystery ranking alongside the assassination of Governor Goebel. In fact, a handcuffed beast of the field would be a considerable circus.

Why should Caleb Powers object to handcuffs? He is a convicted assassin. Why should he not be treated as any other felon convicted of a capital crime? When he was indicted as an accessory before the fact to the assassination of Governor Goebel, he disguised and armed himself and attempted to escape. When he was captured after a desperate resistance, a pardon from W. S. Taylor was found in his pocket. He was arraigned in a court of justice, tried and convicted of an offense, the most infamous of all save one, in the whole calendar of crime. He was transferred to the Louisville jail to prevent either escape or rescue. He was treated exactly as any other criminal would have been treated—neither worse nor better. He was not entitled to any special privileges for the assassination of Governor Goebel, and he did not receive them.

Why should Caleb Powers not be handcuffed "like a beast of the field?"—Glasgow Times.

An Answer.

No better reply to Mr. McKinley's letter can be found than the attitude of a former adherent of the President. That the Maryland campaign should have opened with United States Senator Wellington, until recently the acknowledged leader of Maryland Republicanism, enlisted on the Democratic side is significant of a change of sentiment in that State which should produce some startling surprises at the polls. The opposition to imperialism which has led Senator Wellington to forfeit his high rank in the Republican party is shared, it is safe to assert, by many other Republicans in that State.

The double dealing by which Mr. McKinley tricked Senator Wellington into casting the deciding vote for the Paris treaty, giving a promise of just dealing with the Philippines which was afterwards deliberately broken, will be resented by that eminent American's friends and followers as it is by Senator Wellington himself.

As Mr. Bryan pointed out in his speech at the opening of the Maryland campaign in Cumberland, following Senator Wellington's own speech renouncing his allegiance to McKinley Republicanism, the Maryland leader takes a purely patriotic stand. It is not for money that he enlists under the Democratic standard. It is not for honors—his own party in its nobler days had satisfied his ambitions in that direction. "It is his belief," said Mr. Bryan, "that his country is in peril; it is his belief that the course which the Republican party is pursuing tends directly toward the repudiation of those principles of government which every party advocated until within three years." In other words, Senator Wellington rightly holds his Americanism above his Republicanism; his duty to his country higher than his duty to his party.

When leaders in a decadent party are seen abandoning that party because they cannot follow in its evil course, it is safe to believe that many of the rank and file are similarly moved. Under the guidance of McKinley Republicanism, the Maryland leader takes a purely patriotic stand. It is not for money that he enlists under the Democratic standard. It is not for honors—his own party in its nobler days had satisfied his ambitions in that direction. "It is his belief," said Mr. Bryan, "that his country is in peril; it is his belief that the course which the Republican party is pursuing tends directly toward the repudiation of those principles of government which every party advocated until within three years." In other words, Senator Wellington rightly holds his Americanism above his Republicanism; his duty to his country higher than his duty to his party.

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Now if any of your family are suffering with Chills and fever, aching of the bones, Jaundice, Biliousness, or any other symptoms of Malarial Poison, we earnestly solicit you to try a 50 cent bottle of Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup, for it used according to directions we know it will cure. No cure, No pay. Sold by W. M. Bell, Joppa.

MILITARY DICTATORSHIP.

[Courier-Journal.]

No amount of talk about civil liberty can disguise or obscure the fact that Wm. S. Taylor, both before and after he had been lawfully deposed as Governor, converted the Government of Kentucky into a military dictatorship, so far as his authority reached, and suspended the operation of the laws. He did this by the aid of desperadoes from the mountains and of militia used in an unlawful manner.

It has always been the resource of tyrants to resort to force when the laws do not please them. Military power, in constitutional government, has often been resorted to in order to carry out purposes which the law does not sanction. Parliaments and Legislatures have been dispersed by armed forces, but never without producing a profound sensation and evoking the gravest protests. The entrance of United States troops into the hall of the Louisiana Legislature caused a profound sensation throughout the Union. For reasons of this sort the power of the Executive over troops is everywhere limited, except in despotic countries. In Great Britain Parliament holds the purse and makes appropriations for the army only for a limited period. The same is true in the United States, and with it is coupled the policy of a small standing army in time of peace.

It was not by accident that the provision was put into our Constitution that the Governor should not command the militia in the field except by the request of the Legislature. Nor was it by accident that our laws provided that when the Governor called out the militia they must be made subject to the orders of a Mayor of a city, Sheriff or Jailer of a county, or Marshal. Such a provision was necessary to make the military subordinate to the civil power. With like intent, it was provided that the assent and recommendation of a County Judge should be necessary to the organization of a company of militia in any county.

That rebel troops might not be recruited under the name of independent bands of armed men, the law further provided that no body of armed men other than the State Guard and United States troops should parade in arms without a license from the Governor.

Every one of these provisions, intended as monuments of liberty, was violated by W. S. Taylor and his predecessor. The story how this was done has been often told. That it did not create a wave of indignation all over the country was due to the industrious campaign of misrepresentation and outrageous falsehood that had been carried on for months. Even as it was it elicited words of disapprobation from the better class of Republican newspapers in the North. Here at home, the Republicans and their allies stood by Taylor, and when Goebel was killed excused themselves by saying: "What else could we do?" It did not seem to occur to them that they might obey the laws instead of breaking them every day. They yielded only when they could no longer hold out, and then Taylor fled to Indiana. Since then a number of Republican Governors are reported to have conspired to nullify the laws of Kentucky and the Constitution and laws of the United States by giving protection to a man indicted for murder.

All these things were well-known to the Republicans of Kentucky when they met in State Convention. Yet they congratulated the Republican party on "the efforts of Gov. Taylor," well known to be a lawless, unscrupulous man, in violation of the principles of civil liberty which have been cherished for centuries. The employment of military forces in time of peace to aiding the civil authorities, and withdrawing the command of them from the Chief Executive lest he might use them in derogation of the liberties of the people. By its indorsement

of Taylor the Republicans of Kentucky have indorsed lawless militarism in this State, and by consequence the assassination of Goebel which resulted from it. This is not the road to civil liberty, but to military dictatorship.

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Marshals at the Polls.

The statement has been made within the past few days, says a dispatch from Washington, by an official at the national committee that sufficient numbers of United States deputy marshals will be distributed over the State of Kentucky at the various polling places to prevent any intimidation of voters, and to see that the ballots are counted as they were cast.

Senator Joe C. S. Blackburn says he has been aware of the plan for some time, and characterizes it as an attempt to steal the electoral vote of Kentucky. The State being naturally Democratic, according to his view, and the election law about to be enacted being manifestly fair and impartial, there can be no other interpretation than that it is to be a case of steal.

He asserts that he has warned the Democrats of the designs of the Republican committee and that he will return to Kentucky in a few days in order to be present at the opening of the campaign, so that the Democrats will be certain to take steps to exploit thoroughly the danger impending. According to Senator Blackburn the Democrats of West Virginia, Maryland and Missouri will have a similar condition to face. He points to the fact that the congressional elections will be held incidentally with the general election, which makes the plan of the Republican managers possible and feasible. The Democrats will resist and fight to the last ditch, he says, any attempt to steal the election, and so far as Kentucky is concerned no one need fear the presence of United States marshals on election day, as their presence will be fully shown up by November 6.

As soon as the American people formally indorse imperialism in the Philippines the McKinley administration of Empire will adopt a policy of imperialism in China.

The Galveston Horror.

The following is taken from last Wednesday's Courier-Journal:

The Relief Committee at Galveston estimates the number of dead at 3,000. Mayor Jones' personal estimate is 5,000. Ten thousand people are shelterless and utterly destitute. The work of clearing up the city has begun. Extortion, practiced at first, has been met by force, and the militia, now in control, is compelling men to work at the point of the bayonet. Dead are being carried out to sea and dumped into the gulf. Where that is impossible the dead are buried where found. Ghouls were at work before the militia took control, and many of the corpses were water to drink, lime to allay pestilence and candles, lamps and kerosene, for the ruined city is without light and water. After that must come provisions and clothing, and then money. The response of the people of the United States has been prompt and generous. From Houston trains are sent away with water and supplies most urgently needed. From large cities all over the country are starting special trains with food and supplies, while from every quarter money is being sent to Gov. Sayers and to the Citizens' Committee. Relief is also needed at fifty smaller towns in Southern Texas, but the destitution at these places is as nothing compared to that at Galveston.

A Word to Mothers.

Mothers of children affected with croup or a severe cold need not hesitate to administer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any form and may be given as confidently to the babe as to an adult. The great success that has attended its use in the treatment of croup has won for it the approval and praise of the medical profession and the States and many foreign lands. For sale by M. Cravens.

Crop Report.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 11.—Excessive high temperature continued during the week, with almost constant sunshine and very little rain. Light scattered showers occurred throughout the State on Tuesday, but little or no rain fell on any other day.

The bulk of the corn crop is about ripe and cutting is in progress. The injury to the late planted corn in the western section and some portions of the central section is more apparent than last week; the damage is considerable. However, a good crop will be harvested from the other portions of the State.

Tobacco cutting, curing and housing have been carried on under very favorable conditions, and most of the crop is now housed. A considerable amount of tobacco ripened prematurely or was "fired," and, therefore, will be rather poor in quality; this trouble, however, is confined principally to the western section.

Plowing for wheat has been about stopped until rain falls. In consequence of the dry weather, there will be more corn land sown in wheat than was expected.

Pastures need rain in all sections and are nearly ruined in the western section, where stock water, also, is becoming scarce.

In the eastern section a good lot of millet has been saved.

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Hon. William J. Stone, of Missouri, is a man of distinguished ability, a statesman and a politician, and personally a delightful gentleman. He has been Governor of his state, and is a leading member of the Democratic National Committee. He is a commanding leader, and has greater things in store for him if his admirable health continues. Altogether he is a man of such dignity and consequence that it is doubtful if he should be asked to engage in a dime-museum debate with a cross-roads Administrationist in Ohio.

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Ed. H. Hardin, China Springs, Tex., says: "One large dose of Morley's Wonderful Eight cured my mare of lock-jaw. It was a wonderful cure and saved me a \$65.00 animal." Free trial bottles at W. M. Bell's, Joppa, Ky.

The Administration wants to avoid the almost imperative necessity of taking Teddy Roosevelt off the Republican national ticket. He seems to have been instructed to moderate his pyrotechnics, and when he tries to become respectable he gets stupid. His speeches are almost insane. If Teddy is to stay on the ticket, he should fix it up so as to have so much business as Governor of New York that he will not have time to run about the country stumping.

L. Hardesty & Son, Mt. Eden, Ky., say: "We consider Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup the best we ever sold. We sold 40 bottles of it this month and not a failure in the lot. In fact, when our doctors find a case hard to cure, they send us for Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup and it never fails to cure." Sold by W. M. Bell, Joppa, Ky.

Did Alexander Hamilton ever look forward one hundred years for the realization of his ideas of government for the United States of America? Did he think it would take so long to introduce the English system, which he looked upon as the best for a republic or any other form of government? The radical followers of Alexander Hamilton of to-day—republican government is such only in name.—Enquirer.

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